

**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.
1582A1/BC

In Re Application Of: Cletus N. Welch, Jessica A. Hoch, Jeanine A. Conklin and Shanti Swarup

Serial No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Group Art Unit
09/755,147	January 8, 2001	Bissett, Melanie D.	1773 17

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This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 7/16/2003 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: 10/16/03 _____ Date until: 11/16/03 _____ Date

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

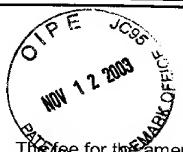
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT					
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	25 -	25 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	1 -	1 =	0	x \$86.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$110.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$110.00

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

A check in the amount of **\$110.00** for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.

Please charge Deposit Account No. **16-2025** in the amount of **\$110.00**

The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.

Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.

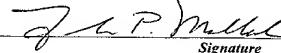
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Serial No. 09/755,147 : Group Art Unit: 1711

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